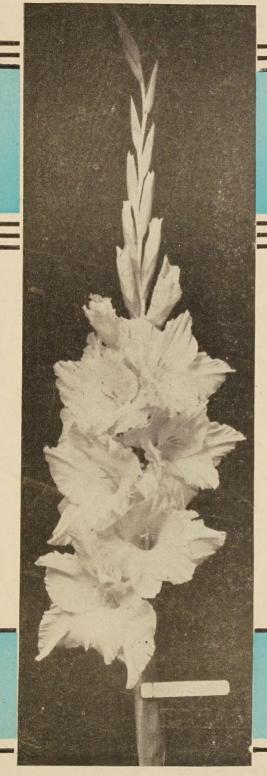
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1953

Our 30th Annual Catalog

GELSER BROTHERS
DALTON, N. Y.

Heart's Desire

GREETINGS

We take great pleasure in presenting our catalog for 1953. Our listing contains the best of the new and older varieties as well as the best of the foreign varieties.

We had a very good growing season despite an unusually dry year. We do not have as many large or No. 1 bulbs as usual because of the dry weather, but they are exceptionally free of disease and, as for thrips, we had none.

All our bulbs have careful handling in the field and in storage to prevent bruising. All bulbs are inspected when cleaned, also a second inspection at planting time, which we believe is the best way to eliminate disease.

We personally inspect every order before it is packed for shipment. Our policy is not to grow more Gladiolus than we can give our personal attention.

We wish to thank you for the many fine orders we received last season.

With best wishes for a very good Glad year.

Sincerely yours, Gelser Bros.

EXTRAS

We always give extras in count and in new varieties if our stock permits. We have reduced our prices on most items, which we believe is much better than allowing discounts.

PRICES and TERMS

Gladiolus prices are good for this spring only and good only as long as our present stocks last.

TERMS: Full remittance should accompany all orders. However, we will ship C. O. D. on request, when 25 per cent of the amount of the order is paid in advance.

SIZE OF GLADIOLUS BULBS

Large bulbs are 1¹/₄ to 2 inches or more in diameter (No. 1 & No. 2) the best blooming size.

Medium bulbs are 3/4 to 11/4 inches in diameter (No. 3 & No. 4). This size will give good bloom, but a little later than the large size.

Small bulbs are 38 to 34 inches in diameter.

When there is a figure before the price of a variety, as 2-15c or 3-15c, it means 2 bulbs for 15c, or 3 bulbs for 15c, etc.

Cultural directions will be sent with all orders.

DELIVERY CHARGES

We pay the delivery charges on bulbs selected from our retail list. Bulbs priced by the 100 are not prepaid.

BULBLETS

We are offering bulblets of nearly all varieties. It is a cheap way to get started in the high-priced varieties, if you will give them the extra care needed. They should be cracked or, better still, peel a strip of the hard shell from the side of the bulblet, but be careful not to injure the bulblet in peeling. Bulblets also require plenty of moisture to germinate. We do not guarantee bulblets to grow, so do not expect us to replace any which fail to germinate. We will send you the largest bulblets available, but some varieties never make large bulblets, so if you get bulblets which are small, it will be for the reason that that variety produces small bulblets. We always give extra count when stocks are available.

We cannot fill orders for bulblets after April 1st.

ORDER EARLY

Please place your order early in order to avoid disappointment, as a great many varieties will be sold out early. It is important that orders for small sizes and bulblets be received early, as we begin planting our own stock in April and may not have the stock to fill late orders.

The cost of producing stock has increased, but we have not increased our prices. In many cases we have reduced them in order to sell out early, as we must curtail our planting this year, so it will be wise to take advantage of our prices now.

SECOND CHOICE, PLEASE!

Due to the heavy demand for bulbs this year, it is to your advantage and also to ours, if you would give a second choice, either in size or another variety.

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

Retail orders are prepaid; wholesale orders are not prepaid.

If you wish to order part from retail and part from wholesale list, we will send the order delivery charges collect and we will include overcount and extras to more than make up the charges on the retail items.

We ship either by parcel post or express, whichever we think is safest and best at time of shipment.

On fair sized orders we advise shipment by express in cold weather as express orders are insured against freezing.

RETAIL LIST OF GLADIOLUS	Per	Large	Medium	Small	alblets Per
				0.5	5— .25
Abessinie (K & M) Color very deep mahogany red. The florets are well placed	1	.75	.50	.25	5— .25
on a tall stem. Early flowering.	0	20	425	8,25	
Abu Hassan (Pf.) Color dark blue,	10	.20	.50	.25	10025
much better than Pelegrina. Healthy grower with 7 to 8 medium sized florets open on a tall stiff stem.	10	.00	.50		
Admiral De Ruyter (K & M) The	1	.20	220	420	
color is medium salmon pink with a creamy blotch on the lower petal. Opens 6 wide open well placed florets measuring 6 inches across on a tall stem. Early midseason.	10		.80	.40	
Adventurer (Aust.) Large smoky salmon with bright cherry blotch. Opens 8 large florets on a tall spike.	1	.25	.20	220	
All Glory (Toon) A new color in glad-	1	.15	.10		
iolus, glistening tangerine orange, with a deep purple blotch. Florets are ruffled.					
Aljechin (K & M) Color deep violet	1	.25	220	525	10025
purple. The wide open florets are strongly attached to a medium tall stem. Splendid opener when cut in bud, a new color in glads. Healthy grower and fine propogator.	10		.80	.40	
Alzada (Wilson) Smoky orange or dark old rose with big cream blotch, Color clean and different. An eye catcher. Heavy substance and ruffling. Very fine smoky.	1	.75	.50		2— .25
Annamae (Pommert) A very early snow	3	.20	.15	515	
white, extra fine commercial to catch the early market. Good grower and propagator.	10	.60	.40	.20	100— .20
Aotearoa Large creamy white. Opens	2	20	315	515	10025
6-8 nice blooms.	10	.80	.40	.20	
Apache (Gelser) Ground color orange heavily overlaid with smoky purple. Large	2	.25	325		
yellow throat blotch, healthy grower with 10-12 florets open.					
Aristocrat (Salman) Purplish wine-red,	1	.25	.20	.15	1030
good texture, long straight stems, very					1
fine.	2	.25	.15	6—.25	
Astrid (Jack) Clear medium rose of a new and distinct shade, with a narrow	10	1.00	.50	.30	10025
throat line and a slight feather in the throat Tall, husky grower with 6 or more ruffled blooms open. A very beautiful variety.					
Ataturk (Salman) Very deep maroon with velvety black glow. The best in this	1	.25	.20		1025
color.	9	.25	425		
Atlas (Pf.) A nice violet blue with darker throat blotch. 6-7 florets open on a strong spike.	2	.23	120		

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
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Atom (Hedgecock) A beautiful small	2	.25	325	4—.25	10025
flowered scarlet, edged white. Distinctive and one of the best for small arrangements.	10	1.00	.60	.40	
Aureole (Pruitt) Beautiful light yellow	2	.25	4—.25	625	10025
with 6-7 heavily ruffled well placed florets	10	140	.50	.25	100 .40
open on a medium tall spike. Substance is					
very heavy. A beautiful variety that you will like.					
Beauty's Blush (Fischer) Cool spark-	2	.25	425	725	
ling blush pink without markings with 7-8	10	1.00	.50	.25	10025
wide open florets on a tall 18-bud spike. A	10	1.00	.00		
good healthy grower with plenty of bulblets which grow well.					
Belle Jaune (K & M) Medium yellow	2	.25	3—.25	525	2025
self color with 6 well formed lightly waved	10	1.00	.70	.40	10025
open florets on a tall wiry stem. Very					
early and a good propagator.		0.5	4 05		100 20
Beltrami (Lins) Ruffled and fluted florets of golden brown to deep mulberry. A very	2	.25	4—.25	0.5	10030
nice smoky.	10	1.00	.50	.25	
Benares (K & M) Color deep pink with	1	.25	.15	220	2520
carmine feather on lower petals. The	10	2.00	1.00	.75	
florets are of good substance and are well					
attached to a tall slender stem. Good grower.					
Bengasi (Cave) Beautiful light pink	1	.20	.10		
blending to a white throat with a few	10	1.60	.80		
light lines in throat. 7 to 8 large ruffled					
flowers on a tall, strong stem. Bengasi created quite a sensation when introduced.					
Berolina (Pf.) Deep scarlet red with a	2	.25	.15	520	10025
creamy white blotch which makes it very	10	1.00	.50	.30	
attractive. Its large round florets are well	10	1.00	.00		
placed on a spike that never crooks, with					
6 florets open at one time. An excellent propagator.					
Benjamin Britten (K & M) Rhoda-	2	.25	3—.25	525	
mine purple or deep lavender with white	10	1.00	.70	.40	1003
stripe. Unusual shade and very beautiful.					
Tall spikes with 6-8 wide open large blooms. Early flowering and good propa-					
gator.					
Bischofsstab (Pf.) Cyclamen purple	1	1.50	1.00	.50	
with velvety shine. Early flowering.					
Bittersweet (Troyer) Bittersweet or-	2	.25	315	515	
ange with purple throat. Tall plant with					
many large open florets.	1	.20	215	415	
Black Diamond (Gelser) Very dark	10	.20	.60	.30	100— .30
red, almost black, intensely ruffled with 5-6 medium sized florets open. Has a color	10				
sheen lacking in most dark reds. Well					
liked by florists. Bulblets are quite hard to germinate.					

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Di l Di	0	00	9 00	E 00	
Black Phantom (Cave) A dark red	2	.20	3—.20	5—.20	100 20
exhibition variety. Called a dark red Picardy. Grows tall and straight with 7-9	10	.80	.50	.30	100— .30
five-inch florets open at a time. Formerly					
_ called Paul Robeson.					
Bloemfontein (K & M) Color salmon	2	.20	420		
with a soft yellow blotch. Many large open flowers on a tall stiff, stem. Mid-	10	.80	.40		
season cut flower.					
Blue Beauty (Pf.) Large wide open	2	.25	3—.25	420	
blue flowers on a tall straight spike. The	10	1.00	.70	.40	
best of Pfitzer's older blues.					
Boise Belle (Roberts) A most unusual	1	.30	.20	225	1030
and beautiful color arrangement of deep pink and yellow. The clear yellow lip	10	2.40	1.50	1.00	
petals have a dainty edging of pink. 10-12					
$4\frac{1}{2}$ in. florets open an a tall spike. A very					
beautiful variety you will like.					
Boldface (Evans) Color deep salmon	1	.20	.15	2—.20	
pink or light scarlet. The throat marking is deep red on white. A tall straight grow-	10	1.50	1.00	.70	100— .50
ing variety with 7-8 large florets open. A					
must have for those who like them strik-					
ingly blotched.					
Bolero (Leffingwell) Smoky orange with	2	.25	325	5—.25	3020
dark red blotch. Opens 5-6 heavily ruffled fluted and needlepoint blooms of heavy	10	1.00	.70	.40	
texture. A great novelty.					
Bonfire (Fischer) Glowing firy scarlet,	2	.25	325	5—,25	
tall plant with 6-8 well placed florets	_	.20	0 .20	0 .20	
open.					
Bo Peep (Butt) Buff pink miniature with	2	.30	3—.25	625	3020
a deep cream throat. Heavily ruffled, very	10	1.00	.70	.30	
early.					
Boulogne (Salman) Color a rich wine	2	.25	4—.25	825	100— .25
red. Opens 8 large blooms on a tall husky plant. A beautiful flower and fine propa-	10	1.00	.70	.20	
gator.					
Bouton D'Or (De Bruyn) Clear deep	2	.25	3—.25		
yellow. Many wide open florets on a					
strong wiry stem.					
Bushfire (Purplish) Smoky old rose,	1	.50	.30	.15	1025
overlaid brick-red, yellow throat.					
Bretange (Visser) Soft rose with slight	2	.25	325	525	
carmine mark. Six large florets open on a	10	1.00	.60	.40	100— .25
straight spike. Awarded first class certifi- cate at Haarlem. A very pleasing color					
and long spikes.					
Bridal Orchid (Carlson) Pastel laven-	1	.40	.25	.15	1020
	10	3.00	2.00	1.00	
der. Opens up to 10 six-inch blooms on a	10	0.00			
der. Opens up to 10 six-inch blooms on a tall, strong plant. Opens good from tight	10				
der. Opens up to 10 six-inch blooms on a	10				

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Broadway Melody (Pf.) Color sal-	1	1.50		.50	125
mon pink with a soft creamy yellow glow on lower petal.		1100		.50	120
Buckeye Bronze (Wilson) Smoky old	2	.20	320		10020
rose. A very fine novelty in a different color.	10	.80	.50	.25	10020
Burma (Palmer) A very deep rose shading	2	.25	425	1025	
lighter in the throat. Heavily ruffled blooms on a straight spike. Very heavy texture. Nearly every bud will show color when first flower opens.	10	1.00	.50	.25	100— .30
Butterscotch (Langworthy) Color yel-	2	.25	325	525	
lowish buff blending to Indian yellow. Throat marks of pastel orange. Tall grower and good propagator.	10	1.00	.70	.40	
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round, wide open lavender florets, deeper color in the throat with cream dart.	4	.25	325		10050
Choctaw (Wilson) Color rich light chocolate overcast orange with orange red blotch. Tall plant with 10 open florets. Something different.	1	.30	.20	.15	5— .20
Circe (K & M) Russet-orange color with	1	.25	.20	.15	5025
a deeper red feathered blotch and creamy yellow band. Florets are well placed on a	10	2.00	1.50	1.00	30
strong growing spike. Clarence D. Fortnam (Kaler)	1	75	FO	. 00	10 10
Lightly ruffled clear blush pink. Opening 6-8 well placed florets on a strong stem.	1	.75	.50	.20	10— .40
Cleo (Youmans) Fine new shade of soft	1	.25	.20	.15	10— .25
pink with amber blotch. 7-8 ruffled florets open of good substance.	10	2.00	1.60	1.20	
Complexion (Bastian) Color, a light shade of pink that is very beautiful. Opens 6-7 florets on a good stem.	1	.20	.15	.10	
Connie G (Woods) A tall ruffled cream	1	.50	.35	.20	1025
which created a sensation when first shown. Opens 8-9 large florets on a long flower head, very heavy substance. A very beauti- ful variety.	10	4.00	3.00	1.50	
Constantine (Pf.) Color carmine rose	1	.50	.40	.30	120
with creamy blotch on lower petals. Early flowering,	10	4.00	3.00	2.20	
Coraleen (Jackson) Clear coral salmon	1	.20	215	415	
shade. Lightly ruffled edges and deeper spot in throat. A very beautiful variety.	10	1.60	.60	.30	10025
Cover Girl (La Salle) Very tall medium	2	.20	4—.20		
pink. Opens up to 10 5½-inch florets on a long flowerhead. Winner of many ribbons.	10	.80	.40	.25	10025
Cream Orchids (Fischer) The waxy,	1	.40	.25		10—. 25
creamy heavily lacinated florets are orchid like in form. A beautiful glad.					

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Crinkle Cream (Ellis) Ruffled cream	2	.20	525		
with wide open florets. One of the most beautiful light yellows. Very tall, strong grower. Late.	10	.80	.40	.25	100— .40
Crinklette (Butt) Nice dark orange pink minature. Well ruffled and heavy texture.	3	.25		5—.25	100— .25
6-7 florets open.					
Crown Orchid (Almey) Deep toned	2	.25	.15		
orchid lavender with a deeper colored throat mark. Opens up to 6-8 florets at one time on a tall straight stem. Should make a good commercial.	10	1.00	.50		
Cupid (Fischer) A very nice waxy, ruf- fled small white glad on a tall wiry stem. Fine for table decoration.	2	.25	325	625	100— .25
Cynthia (Graff) An early blooming light	1	.20	230	220	15— .25
yellow that opens up 6-8 florets on a long spike.	10	1.60	1.20	.80	
Daisy Mae (Lins) Beautiful orange pink	2	.20	4—.25		
with cherry throat. Tall, strong, husky grower with 7-8 large, well-placed, open blooms.	10	.80	.40	.25	100— .25
Dieppe (Hassel) Deep salmon red with	2	.20	320	315	
darker blotch. Large flowers of a very beautiful color, 8-9 open at one time on a long flowerhead. A must have.	10	.80	.60	.30	100— .25
Dorothy Armstrong (Beardmore) A	1	.20	.15	320	5030
medium shade of purple. It will open 7-8 4½ in. florets on a tall wiry spike. A splendid cutting variety that stands the heat. Should go over good for market.	10	1.50	1.00	.50	
Dream Girl (Krueger) Tall pale rosy pink with a dark rose feather. Opens 7-8 five inch bloom at one time.	2	.25	325		
Dr. van Dobben de Bruyn	2	.15	315	515	
(Salman) Pure white with only a faint green shade deep in the throat. 6-8 large blooms open on a tall husky plant, good healthy grower and fast propagator.	10	.60	.40	.25	10025
Dusty Miller (Elliot) Tall growing	2	.25	325	6—.25	10030
dusty old rose with cream and red center. 6-8 well placed blooms on a long flower-head. Has been in great demand.	10	1.00	.60	.30	
Elan (De Bruyn) Soft silvery salmon pink. Large florets on a large plant. Deep green	1	.25	225		
foliage. Eldorado (K & M) A medium size deep	2	.25	325	525	1025
yellow with 6-8 slightly ruffled florets open at a time well placed on a strong stem. Good healthy grower.	10	1.00	.70	.40	10 - ,23
Elgie Color dark brown or brownish red. A nice novelty.	1	.20	.15	.10	

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Elizabeth the Queen (White) Beauti-	3	.25	.15	.10	100— .25
clear lavender mauve with darker lines	10	.70	.40	.25	
in the throat. Heavily waved and frilled					
florets, 7-8 wide open on a medium tall stem. A very beautiful variety. Does best					
when given plenty of water.					
Elmer's Rose (Fischer) A ruffled deep	1	.50	.40	.20	825
· rose. 7-8 well placed blooms open. One of the best.					
Emile Aubrun (Lemoine) Coppery	1	.20	.10	4—.25	100 25
bronze with a cherry red throat blotch.	•	.40	.10	1 .20	200
An old timer but still worth while.					
Evangeline (Palmer) Beautiful light rose	1	.25	230	325	20— .25
or light buff pink with creamy throat.	10	2.00	1.20	.70	
Opens 8-9 large florets on a long flower-head. A very vigorous and healthy grower.					
Evening Bells (N. Z.) Rose salmon	2	.25	325	625	10025
with a cherry blotch.	_	,,,,			
Firebrand (Butt) Dark signal red with	2	.25	.15	415	
two white lines on lower petals. Very stiff	10		.40	.25	
and straight stem, florets lie tight and flat					
with 8-10 well-placed blooms open. A fine commercial.					
Florence Nightingale (Harris) A	2	.25	325	525	10025
beautiful glistening white with well ruffled	10	1.00	.70	.40	
heavy petals, opens 6 to 8 5½-in. florets					
on a long spike. Will become the leading white commercial.					
Florentine (Fischer) Tall, ruffled	1	.25	.20		
creamy white. 6-8 open florets.					
Flying Fortress (Wilson) Giant smoky	1	.15	.10	210	
lavender-gray with a huge head of bloom.					
Opens up to 10 on a tall plant. One of the best show flowers in the smoky section.					
Needs plenty of fertilizer and water to get					
those exhibition spikes.			- 4		
Frans Hals (Holland) Deep glowing	1	.40	.30	.15	
red with purple and orange stripes. Small cream throat. A fine smoky.					
Fred Parker (Both) A super giant,	1	.25	.20	.15	
deep orange smoky. If you like them big,		. 4.0	*40		
this is it. Needs staking.					
Friendship (Fischer) Bright shade of	2	.25	325	5—.25	10025
pure pink, blending to a cream and white	10	1.00	.70	.40	
throat. A very beautiful variety.	0	.25	325	525	
Fuchsia Belle (Almey) American beauty	2	,43	343	J,2,J	
rose red or reddish purple. Opens 10 medium sized florets on a tall straight					
spike. Unusual and distinctive color. Bulb-					
lets rather hard to germinate.	4.0	1.00	70	.40	100— .50
Fuchsia Queen (Vavrous) Bright fuch-	10	1.00	.70	.40	100— .30
sia purple with darker feather in throat. Tall grower, long flowerhead with 18 to 20					
buds 5 to 6 open florets with 8 showing					
color. A splendid florist's variety.					
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	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Gadelan (Pf.) A very tall growing smoky. Extra long flower head. Color smoky lavender-grey with a nice two-color blotch	1	.25	.20	.10	
on lower petals. Gail (Farrington) A light lavender, shad-	1	.40	.30	.20	1025
ing to deeper lavender at the edges of the petals. Fine commercial and show flower.	10	3.00	2.00	1.00	
General Eisenhower (Salman) Very	2	.25	320	720	100— .30
deep rose color. Giant 6-inch flowers, many open at one time on a long flower- head.	10	1.00	.60	.25	
Giant Cyclamen (Higgins) Light rose florets with a deep rosy blotch. Quite similar to Miss Wisconsin though some-	1	.30	.20	220	10— .25
what larger. Gleam (Fischer) A beautiful light yellow,	2	.25	3—.20	8—.25	
heavily ruffled with very thick petals. Medium tall with 4 to 5 five-inch florets open. Not a commercial but fine for local use.	10	1.00	.60	.30	10025
Glenardy (N. Z.) Very large cream, deeper throat blotch.	2	.25	325	5—.25	
Gold Dust (Pf.) Tall, very early, deep yellow. One of the earliest to bloom in our garden. A fine early commercial.	10		.40		100— .25
Gold Lack (Pf.) Golden yellow center, shading to orange. A beautiful color combination that you will like. Small flowers.	2	.25	3—.25		
Golden Arrow (Pruitt) Clear light	2	.25	4—.25		
yellow with about 8 well placed blooms open. Good propagator. Opens well when cut in tight bud. Should be a good commercial.	10	1.00	.50	.25	10030
Golden State (Wheeler) Clear medium			430		
yellow that opens 8-10 large blooms on a long flowerhead. Described as a yellow Picardy.	10		.60	.30	
Gold Medal (Beardmore) A giant buff	2	.25	3—.25	525	
yellow with wide open waved florets.	10	1.00	.70 .15	.40	
Gold Standard (Beaton) Giant golden buff. The inner petals are a pure golden yellow, outer petals are a rich golden buff. 6-8 blooms open at once. Height 50 inches, good propagator.	10	1.50	1.00		
Gratitude (Fischer) Called a much	2	.20	425		
improved Barcarole. Color salmon orange with 5-6 well ruffled blooms open on a tall plant. An extra good cutter with no crooks.	10	.80	.50	.30	
Gray Summit (Butt) Gray with creamy	2	.25	325	525	5025
white throat. Tall plant with 7-8 large florets open. Good texture.	10	1.00	.70	.40	

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Per
Green Light (Pf.) Ruffled greenish	2	.25	3—.25	6—.25	
yellow, medium tall spikes. The special charm of this variety arises from the greenish gloss that overlays the well formed flowers.	10	1.00	.60	.30	
Harold K (Knight) Hugh deep scarlet	1	.50	.35	.25	10— .25
self color. Giant plant and flower. One of the best scarlets.	-	.00	.00	.49	10
Harry Hopkins (Salman) Large deep red with purplish shade, A fine dark red.	2	.25	3—.25	5—.25	100— .25
Havana (Roberts) Bronze shade with a brilliant red-orange throat. A nice	1	.20	.15	220	10— .25
smoky.	0	٥٣	0 05	F 0.5	
Heart's Desire (Fiedler) Large ruffled pink, shading into white with a pastel	2 10	.25 1.00	3—.25 .70	5—.25 .40	10030
yellow throat, heavy midrib. 6-8 wide open florets on a tall spike. All buds will open in water. One of the best new varieties we had in 1948.	10	1.00	.70	.40	.30
Heart O'Gold (Fischer) Translucent	1	.25	225	425	
waxy white with golden yellow throat, very early, very striking and beautiful.	10	2.00	1.00	.50	
Heavenly White (Moses) A sport of	3	.25	5—.25	7—.25	400 05
Rosa Van Lima. Sparkling blue white with a trace of lavender in the throat. Fine early commercial.	10	.60	.40	.30	100— .25
Helen Eaken (K & M) A real elegant	2	.25	325	425	
cream gladiolus with a greenish shine on the lower petals. Six well formed wide open florets on a tall spike with 10 more buds showing color. Early flowering.	10	1.00	.70	.50	
Henri De Greeve (K & M) Main color	2	.25	325	525	10025
beautiful salmon orange with ochre colored petals overlaid with carmine. A novelty of striking appearance. 8 open flowers on a	10	1.00	.70	.40	
20-bud spike.			315	625	
High Finance (Wilson) Smoky light orange gray with a cream throat. A very	10		.40	.30	
tall, husky plant, long flowerhead with 8-9 large blooms open. One of the best smokies.					
Highlander (Zimmer) Deep lavender or	1	.20	.15		
lilac which will open 8-10 large florets on a tall, straight plant.	10	1.50	1.00		
High Life (K & M) Color light blue with deeper blotch. Tall straight stems	10		4—.25	.25	10025
with many medium sized flowers open at a time. One of the best blues.	4	E0.	40	20	9 95
Hochsommer (Pf.) Color a deep orange salmon with a small orange brown blotch on lower petals. Good grower and propagator.	1	.50	.40	.30	225
Holland's Glory (K & M) Dark sal-	2	.25	425		
mon pink with slight yellow throat marking. The large blooms are well placed on the tall straight stems. Florets of heavy texture will stand all weather.	10	1.00	.40	.25	100— .25
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Bulblets

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
H. R. Hancock (Both) Clear deep	2	.25	4—.25	6—.25	10025
cherry rose with a creamy white throat blotch. Perfect double row placement of 5-inch florets, 8-10 open on a tall plant. A fine commercial.	10	1.00	.50	.30	
Huahina (Pf.) Very deep orange with golden markings on lower petals. Opens 6 well placed blooms on a medium tall plant. No other glad just like it.	1	.20	.15		25— .25
Huntress (Jack) A very early ruffled	2	.25	425	825	
pinkish lavender. 6-8 large florets open on a medium height spike.	10	1.00	.50	.30	100— .30
Indian Summer (Langworthy) Tall	2	.25	325	5—.20	
growing smoky. A blending of orange and purple, grey overlay, red feather.	10	1.00	.70	.30	100— .50
Interpid (Jack) An attractive slate salmon smoky that is very bright and pleasing. Opens 8 of 17 buds.	1	.15	.10	210	2525
Intruder (Graff) Large flame or scarlet with small orange feather on lower petals. Opens 8-9 large florets at one time.	10		3—.25 .70	.30	
Java (Salman) Clear yellow flowers of giant size on a tall spike. The flowers are not too well arranged on the spike and attachment is too loose for a good com-	2 10	.25 1.00	3—.20 .60	.40	100— .25
mercial. Good for exhibition. Je Maintiendral (K & M) Color scar-	2	.25	3—.20		
let with velvet-like red petals. 6-7 large wide-open flowers out of 16 buds are well placed on a long stem. Strong healthy grower. Early midseason. Fine cut flower.	10	1.00	.50	.30	100— .25
Jo Wagenaar (K & M) Color very	2	.25	325	5 —.25	
deep red with a narrow white line on lower petals. Florets are well placed on a tall slender stem that never crooks. Healthy grower.	10	1.00	.70	.40	100— .30
J. Van Konynenburg (K & M)	2	.25	325	6—.25	
Beautiful vermilion or garnet red without markings. Tall, straight plant with 8-10 very large blooms open. A sensational exhibition and marke variety.	10	1.00	.60	.30	
Kathy Lee (Fairchild) Clear light yel-	2	.25	325	525	5025
low with no markings. Florets are heavily ruffled. The five-inch florets open wide on a nice stem.	10	1.00	.70	.30	
King Tan (Wilson) Beautiful large rosy	2	.25	325	525	10 0 — .30
tan spikes of an unusual color, very pleasing. 7-8 open florets, strong healthy grower.	10	1.00	.70	.40	
La Belle (Krueger) Heavily ruffled cream white. Healthy grower and heavy propagator. Late blooming.	1	.20	.15	2—.20	5030
Lady Boo (Graff) Pure shade of shell	2	.20	4—.20	820	
pink. 6-7 florets open on a straight spike. Will make a good commercial.	10	.80	.40	.25	10025

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Lady Jane (Lake) Clear cream with	1	.10	2—.15		10020
yellow lip. Will open 8 round, wide-open blooms on a good stiff plant. Texture and placement are perfect. One of the very best cut flowers.	10	.80	.50	.30	
La Favorite (K & M) Color very bril-	2	.25	325		100— .25
liant light scarlet. 6-7 florets open on a straight stem. Good grower and prop-	10	1.00	.70		100— .23
agator.	0	0.5	4 05		
Lady Luck (Harris) Peaches and cream color. Opens 8-9 four-inch florets on a tall	10	.25 1.00	425 .50	.30	10030
straight stem. A very beautiful color combination and a fine commercial.	10	1.00	.50	.50	100 ,55
Lady Marion (White) Color light rose	2	.25	3—.25	525	5025
lavender. Opens 8-10 well placed florets on a tall straight stem. Opens well when cut in bud. Should make a fine com- mercial.	10	1.00	.70	.40	
Lavender and Gold (Baerman) Light	2	.25	425		
lavender blending to a clear yellow throat. Opens 5-6 four-inch flowers on a tall slender stem.	10	1.00	.50	.25	100— .25
Lavender Prince (La Salle) A King	2	.20	.15	315	
Arthur seedling. An improvement on that variety. Deep lavender which opens 6 five-inch blooms on a tall straight spike. One for the commercial growers.	10	.80	.60	.40	100— .30
Leeuwenhorst (Salman) Large, tall	2	.25	3—.25		
light rose, slightly tinted lavender. Good propagator.					
Libretto (K & M) Color light blue,	1	.25	.15	.10	
lighter in the throat. A very distinct glad- iolus, 5-6 large florets well attached to a medium tall stem. Tall grower, An extra fine blue.	10		1.20	.80	
Lipstick (Balentine) A beautiful ruffled shell pink with a bright rose red blotch. Very striking and different.	2	.25	325	6—.25	10025
Little Sweetheart(Fischer) Pure pink	1	.25	325	625	10050
with a large white throat. 6 waxy mina- ture blooms open on a thin wiry spike.					
Lucille (Brown) A nice cream minature with a big red throat. 6-7 open on a 16	1	.25			
bud spike. Lustige Witwe (Holland) Brillant	1	.60	.40	.25	10—50
shade of purple mauve with a large creamy white blotch. A novelty that attracts attention.					
Magnolia (Palmer) Light, soft, creamy	1	.10	425		10025
rose. Blooms are large, round and petals are recurved. Opens 6-8 on a strong spike. Fine commercial cut flower.	10	.80	.50	.25	
Manchu (B. Palmer) Brilliant yellow	2	.25	3—.25		100— .25
overlaid with a flush of pink and with a small vivid geranium red blotch. A very showy variety.	4	.49	0 140		
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Mansoer (Salman) Dark brown red. 7	2	.25	325	425	
to 8 large, well-placed blooms on a long stiff stem.	10	1.00	.60	10—.40	
Maple Leaf (Fletcher) Giant rusty- brown. Opens 5-6 large florets on a very long flowerhead. A very unusual color.	1	.25	.20	230	
Marlene Both (Both) Delicate salmon	2	.25	3—.25	420	
pink with blended deep cream throat. Beautifully ruffled, with long stretchy spikes. Fast propagator. Very fine early cut flower.	10	1.00	.60	1040	
Marmora (Errey) A giant rich smoky lavender with a purple blotch. An old timer.	1	.25	2—.25		1002
Marqueeta (Lins) Light orange blend-	2	.20	315	515	
ing to a lighter throat. Tall, with five 5-inch ruffled florets open on a nice straight spike. Healthy grower.	10	.80	.40	.25	
Maskerade (K & M) Clear shining yel-	2	.15	.10	3—.15	1002
low with a vivid dark red blotch. Very distinct and conspicuous.	10	.60	.40	.30	
Maurrie Trevan (Both) A giant dark	1	.30	.20	.10	15— .2
red which makes a tall husky plant from small bulbs. 6½-inch florets on a long flowerhead, holds 8 to 10 florets open. Bulblets large and germinate easily.	10	2.40	1.50	.80	
Maureen Gardner (Preyde) Enormous clean white with a light violet throat mark and some creamy coloring on lower	1	.25	.20		1002
Mauvie Rose (Wesselman) An extra early deep rose blending to mauve in the throat. Opens 6 florets on a medium tall	1	.20	.15	.10	
stem. Healthy grower and propagator. Meistersinger (K & M) Color amber.	1	.15	.10		
6-8 florets open on a tall wiry stem Healthy grower and propagator.	10	1.20			
Mid-America (Knierim-Evans) A giant	2	.30	220	420	,
red that has been the sensation at the shows. Round smooth florets with good culture will reach 7 inches in diameter. An extra good healthy grower and propagator. A sure winner for exhibition.	10	1.20	.80	.40	100— .9
Minstrel (Palmer) A giant lavender pink, sometimes flecked darker. Blooms are ruffled and needle pointed. Opens 5-6 on a very long flowerhead. A very beautiful	1	.25	230	220	100— .!
wariety in great demand. Miss Chicago (Buckheit) Color rose with a lavender cast and a yellow crescent throat mark. Will open 8 giant florets of very heavy texture on a long flowerhead.	1	.30	.25	.15	10— .

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	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Miss Cobleskill (Gregory) Sparkling	1	.20	2—.30	3—.20	
clear pink. Opens up 10 six-inch florets on a long strong stem. A very beautiful variety. Will be in big demand when better known.	10	1.50	1.00	.40	
Miss Wisconsin (Krueger) New shade	2	.25	325		
of rose pink. Opens 6-8 five-inch florets at one time on a straight stem. One spike makes a bouquet. Will be in great demand. Has a wonderful show record.	10	1.00	.60	.30	100— .30
Mistaya (Ketcheson) Smoky lavender rose sport of R. B. Large blooms on a tall stem.	2	.25	3—.25	6—.25	
Misty Dawn (Rich) Soft smoky rose- gray with brilliant orange red blotch. Opens 6-8 large blooms on a tall plant. Very popular show flower.	1	.10	215		
Morning Kiss (Wieghert) Large tall	2	.25	325		
white with a slight lilac mark deep in the throat.	10	1.00	.70		
Mother Machree (Stevens) A grand	2	.25	3—.25		
old smoky that is still one of the best. Color grey lavender overlaid toward the edges with salmon. About 8 open florets.	10	1.00	.70		
Mrs. E. Both (Both) Called the most	1	.20	.15	215	
sensational giant exhibition glad. A blend of deep salmon pink with a deep cream throat. 9to 10 six-inch florets on a long flowerhead.	10	1.50	1.00	.50	
Mrs. Mark's Memory (Pf.) Color			315		
reddish violet or deep rose purple. Very large flowers on a tall spike.	10		.40		
Mrs. Miniver (De Bruyn) Color light	1	.75	.50		
lavender with a small blue blotch. Mrs. R. G. Errey (Errey) The large dark red flowers are well placed on a very	1	.20	.15	3—.15	
tall plant. One of the best in this color.		0.0			
Muskoka (Palmer) Smoky salmon, deep-	1	.20			
er in the throat. A fine smoky. Muzio Clementi (Vantil) A very nice	2	.25	325		
shade of lobelia blue. Strong healthy grower with 5-6 good-sized florets open. You will like it.	10	1.00	.70		
Nancy (Arnett) A tall bright scarlet			425	625	
red. Has won many awards. 6-7 open florets on a 19-bud spike. A good commer- cial.		,	.50	.30	100— .25
New Amsterdam (K & M) Wine red with a deeper colored feathered blotch on lower petals. 6-7 large well-opened blooms on a tall strong stem.	1	.20	.15	.10	
New York (Holland) Dark carmine purplish red. The long strong spikes are always straight.	1	· 4.15	.10	5—.25	502

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Nocturne (Fischer) Color rose red, almost a black purple. Florets well ruffled on a nice plant. Nothing else like it.	1	.30	.20	230	
Nova () This may be a sport of	1	.25	225		
Nova Zembla, hence the name, as we found it in a planting of that variety. Color is strawberry pink with pale yellow lip. Large rose blotch on lower petals. 5-6 four inch florets open. Very striking.				- 00	
Nova Zembla (K & M) Pure white.	2	.20	3—20	5—.20	
Tall straight grower with up to 8 wide open florets on a long flowerhead.	10	.80	.60	.40	
Noweta Rose (Fischer) Giant deep	1	.50	.35	.25	
lavender rose. Tall plant having 10-12 open blooms. A great show winner.	10	4.00	2.50	2.00	
Oberbayern (Pf.) Color is a dark ani-	1	.20	2—.20	4—.25	
line blue. The two lower petals are cream. A very striking and different variety.	10	1.50	1.00	.50	100— .25
Odette Sansom (Salman) Creamy-	2	.20	320		10023
yellow overlaid with pink. Large red blotch on lower petals.	10	.80	.50		
October Sunshine (Quackenbush) Color orange blending to a golden yellow throat. Tall straight grower with 6-7 open florets. Very beautiful and good commer- cial variety.	2	.25	3—.25	5—.25	
Okinawa (Loar) A light rosy chocolate, splashed deeper brown. A dark wine colored spear in the throat.	1	.50	.40	.25	10— .25
Oklahoma (Wilson) Ruffled lilac grey	2	.25	325	525	10030
with creamy yellow throat, 5-inch florets, 7 open, medium tall plant. Texture and placement are good. One of the very best smoky varieties. Odd but very nice. You will like it.	10	1.00	.60	.30	
Opechee (Deam) Smoky old rose with layender overlay. A soft shaded smoky.	1	.25	.20	2—.20	
Orangeade (Brown, N. Z.) Soft smoky orange. Red and cream throat.	2	.25	320		100— .25
Oriental Pearl (Carlson) Called the			215	415	
wonder glad of 1946. Oriental Pearl is a very large wide open cream. 6- to 7-inch florets, very tall husky growing plant that does not crook. A leading commercial.	10		.60	.30	100— .25
Pactolus (K & M) Color apricot cream	2	.25	430	625	
with orange red blotches on lower petals. The 8 wide-open flowers are closely attached to the stem making a beautiful color effect Long, straight stems and early flowering.	10	1.00	.60	.30	100— .25
Parthiena (Hitchcock) Color an unusual	1	.15	325	525	10025
deep shade of lavender. Opens 6 lightly frilled blooms on a long flowerhead. It produces jumbo bulblets which germinate well. An attractive glad.	10	1.20	.70	.40	.20
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	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Pastel (Both) Petals are silvery grey		4.5	10	4 15	100 40
Pastel (Both) Petals are silvery grey edged with steel blue. Most unusual and refined smoky in soft tones.	10	.15 1.20	.10 .80	4—.15	10040
Patrician (Sheer) Lavender self. Opens 6-7 florets on a medium height plant.	2 10	.25 1.00	325 .70	5—.25 .40	
Paul Rubens (Salman) Deep reddish	2	.25	325		
violet purple. Large flowers of good substance with 6-7 open on a tall spike. It is in much demand in Holland and is said to be a fine parent for hybridizing.	10	1.00	.50	.30	100— .30
Peacock Eye (Pf.) Light blue with purple blotch or eye tinged light yellow. 7-8 5½-inch florets open at one time on a tall straight stem. Color somewhat like Joseph Haydn.	1	.25	.20	.15	
Persian Rug (Roberts) A large bright and attractive rose and blue smoky, with a very prominent creamy-yellow throat.	1	.75	.50	.35	
Penelope (Deam) A new shade in a dark	1	.30	.20	.15	
lavender with a creamy white center. Opens 6 large well placed florets on a straight stem. A very unusual variety.	10	2.40	1.50	1.20	15— .25
Perdita (Grout) Rich yellow with con-	2	.25	3—.25	5—.25	100— .25
spicuous throat darts. 9-10 open florets on a tall stem. A fine exhibition variety.	10	1.00	.70	.40	
Pfitzer's Century (K & M) Light scar-	2	.25	3—.15	5—.20	
let of heavy texture. The stem is tall with 8-10 large wide-open flowers. A very beautiful variety.	10	1.00	.40	.30	10025
Persian Beauty (Knierim) A bronzy- grey smoky with veined petals. Very un- usual and pleasing. Large and tall.	1	.20	.15	2—.20	
Phantom Beauty (Bastian) A light pink of formal type, perfect placement with 5½-inch ruffled wide-open florets, 12 to 13 open at one time. Tall growing and never crooks. Good grower and shipper. Λ rust have.	10		3—.25 .70	.35	
Picardy (Palmer) Color a lovely shrimp	2	.25	315	515	10020
or salmon pink. 6-7 well-placed blooms open. So well known it is not necessary to say much about it. Our strain has always been healthy with long spikes.	10	1.00	.40	.25	
Picton (Burns) Tall, apricot with orange shading. 7-8 open on a good spike.	2 10	.25	.15 .60	.35	100— .25
Pink Picardy (Earl) A sport of Picardy that is of a deeper pink than its parent. A	2 10	.25 1.00	.15 .50	3—.15 .25	100— .25
Pinocchio (Evans) An odd blend of pink, orange and red. A novelty glad. Small flowers.	1		.15	215	

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Poet's Dream (Fischer) Light lavender	2	.25	4—.25		
blending to a creamy throat. Its 4-inch round florets are nicely ruffled and of heavy texture, set on tall, strong stems. A beautiful variety.	10	1.00	.50	.30	100— .30
Poinciana (Snyder) Rosy red with a white spear on a dark red throat Tall	1	.25	225	3—.25	
Polynesie (K & M) A pure salmon	1	.20	.15	215	10060
deeper than Picardy. Opens 8-10 well placed round blooms on a tall plant, heavy texture and slightly ruffled.	10	1.60	1.20	.60	100 100
Poussin (Salman) Morocco red or rust	2	.25	325		
red. Opens about 6 florets on a straight spike. A different color and a good healthy grower. Makes beautiful large bulbs.	10	1.00	.70	.40	100— .30
Puccini (Holland) A large glad on a tall strong spike. Color is between soft rose and bright purple. A very fine novelty.	1	.25	.20	.10	
Purple Supreme (Wilson) Clear deep			525	620	10025
purple with lighter border on edge of petals Opens 6-7 good sized blooms on a tall plant. One of the best purples	10		.40	.30	
Quiberon (Errey) Clear apricot, blending to a cream throat. 8-10 large well placed blooms on a slender stem. A grand variety.	1	.35	.25	325	
Ravel (K & M) Clear violet blue with reddish or brown markings. The large florets are well placed on a tall erect stem.	1	.20			
Many flowers open. R-B (Upton) Huge rusty brown on old rose. Strong grower and fast propagator. Attachment of florets to stem is not too good at times. Often wins for the largest flower at the shows.	2	.20	320	5 —.20	
Recado (Palmer) Large smoky rose, flecked and splashed with orange scarlet. Very odd and different.	2	.20	320		
Red Charm (Butt) Deep sparkling scar-	3	.25	.15		10020
let, deeper in the throat. 7-8 large well- placed blooms open on a tall straight spike. A very fine commercial.	10	.60	.40	.25	
Red Cherry (Roberts) A brilliant cherry	2	.25	3—.20	520	5025
red, slightly deeper throat. Large, round blooms on a tall spike. Extra fine and early.	10		.60	.35	
Red Wing (Wright) Pure scarlet red with	1	.25	225	325	10050
a small feather deep in the throat. Opens up to 10 large blooms with 6 more showing color on a long flowerhead. Opens good when cut in bud. Very outstanding.	10	2.00	1.00	.70	
Rev. Sam Chadwick (Brown) Soft	2	.25	325		
smoky rose with bright carmine throat blotch. 8-10 open on a tall spike.					

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Rheingold (K & M) Color brillant golden yellow without markings, slender straight stem. 6-8 open florets.	1	.75	.50	.25	
Ridgley (Stevens) Very tall strong growing purple. An extra fine purple.	1	.30	.20	2—.25	
Robert Alan (Lorenz) Clear deep yellow. 7-8 florets open on a tall plant. Good	1	.50	.30	2—.30	
exhibition variety. Robinson Crusoe (Lins) Color tan heavily marbled deep rose-chocolate. Opens 6 wide open 5-inch florets of good sub- stance. A real novelty that you will like when you see it. A very striking color.	1	.30	.20	2—.25	
Romany (Youmans) Pink with red and blue throat blotch. A very beautiful smoky. Good strong grower. You will like it if you are a smoky fan.	1	.30	.20	225	1025
Roosevelt's Memory (Salman) Giant,	2	.25	425		
well arranged ivory white. Flowers of good texture on a tall spike. Opens 7 to 8 giant florets at one time.	10	1.00	.60	.30	10025
Rose Dawn (Errey) Glowing old rose,	1	.10	2—.15	315	10025
deeper shade in throat. Very tall strong grower with long flowerhead. 9-10 well-placed blooms. Color very much like Chaumony but much better growth. A must have.	10	.80	.60	.40	
Royal Windsor (Beaton) A very bright	2	.25	325	5—.25	10025
spectrum red. Grows tall with 8-10 five- inch florets open. The florets are firmly attached and spikes are always straight. One of the best new glads.	10	1.00	.70	.40	
Ruth Ann (Woods) Color an unusual lavender pink with a large dark orchid blotch. The 5-inch florets are ruffled and of good substance. A very beautiful gladiolus.	1	.50	.35	.20	525
Sahara (Palmer) Smoky tan or light russet brown. Opens 6-8 well-placed blooms in a double row. Will stand heat without wilting.	1	.10	2—.10	410	
Sandman (Butt) Old-rose toned smoky	2	.25	325		
with white throat shading to tan. Opens 5 or 6 blooms on a tall straight stem. A very beautiful smooth textured smoky.	10	1.00	.70		
Sans Souci (Pf.) A rich glowing scarlet with a narrow white line on lower petal. The florets are of heavy texture and well placed.	1	1.00		.35	525
Salman's Glory (Salman) Creamy	2	.20	425		
white with carmine red markings on a large primrose yellow blotch. Very large wide-open florets of heavy texture on a tall straight stem. Should make a good commercial.	10	.80	.50	.25	10030
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	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Sheherezade (Pf.) A creamy pink with a strawberry colored blotch. The large florets are of heavy texture. Distinctive	1	.35	.25	2—.25	25— .25
and fine. Sheik (Salman) Purple-violet with a blood red blotch.	2 10	.25 1.00	3—.25 .60	6—.25 .30	10025
Skyline (Wilson) Silvery grey, apricot buff throat.	1	.25	.20	220	
Siboney (Allen) A large ruffled lavender slightly on the rose side. Opens 8 large well placed blooms on a medium tall stem. A good show flower and may make a good	2 10	.25	3—.25 .70	5—.25 .40	5030
commercial. Silcherlied (Pf.) LaFrance pink with a	1	.50	.35	.20	6— .25
dark red blotch. Tall strong grower. Silver Gull (K & M) Color silvery bluish grey with a creamy blotch. Very distinct and a real novelty. Large wide-open florets on a straight stem with 6-7	2 10	.25 1.00	4—.25 .50	.25	10030
Silver Wings (Ritsema) Creamy white Said to be an improvement on Leading Lady with whiter and more ruffled florets. Being a sport of Picardy it occasionally reverts to Picardy. In case you receive a	2 10	.25 1.00	4—.2 5 .50	.25	10025
South Seas (Wilson) Tall, deep orange grey with deep orange and yellow blotch,	1	.25	.15	2—.25	
Strong grower. Snowcrest (Ellis) Large ruffled white. Tall growing with 5-6 large blooms open on a stiff stem. A very fine variety that	1 10	.20 1.60	3—.25 .60	6—.25 .30	100— .30
will be in big demand when better known. Snow Flake (Pf.) A pure white with round florets. 6-8 medium sized florets open on a strong stem. Healthy grower and good propagator.	2	.25	3—.25		
Snow Princess (Pf.) An improved Maid of Orleans. A larger and better white in every way. A healthy, vigorous grower and good propagator.	2 10	.15 .60	3—.15 .40	5—.15 .20	10025
Solo Mio (K & M) Lemon yellow with carmine in the throat. 6-7 well-formed blooms at a time on a medium-sized stiff stem. The earliest to bloom in our fields in 1947.	10	.20 .80	3—.15 .40	.25	100— .25
Sparks (Glass) Glistening light yellow with an orange scarlet feather on lower petals. Opens 7 large fluted trangular blooms on a tall slender stem. Has many large bulblets which germinate well, many will bloom.	2 10	.25 1.00	3—.25 .60	6—.25 .35	100— .30

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Spic and Span (Carlson) A very tall	2	.25	425	625	
ruffled deep pink with 10 open florets well-placed on a long flowerhead. A tall, strong grower. Spic and Span has a long	10	1.00	.60	.30	10030
Spotlight (Palmer) Clear medium deep	2	.25	4—.25		
yellow with a small vivid scarlet blotch in the throat. 5-6 large blooms open at one time on a tall straight spike. In great demand for cutting.	10	.80	.50	.25	10025
Stanley (Hatch) Color grey lavender and brown. A brown Mother Machree,	2	.25	325	5—.25	100— .25
Storm King (Errey) Dusty pink, overlaid grey, crimson throat.	2	.25	3—.25	5—.25	
Stormy Weather (Barrett) Tall ruf-	2	.25	325	525	:5025
fled rose lavender grey overlaid with tints of rose and salmon. 7-8 open florets on a tall slender spike. A very unusual smoky. A favorite with many.	10	1.00	.70	.40	
Strathnaver (Peattie) Very large exhibition white. Opens 9-10 florets on a tall stem.	1	.35	.25	225	
Sultara (Pruitt) Smoky salmon rose with a large smoky blotch. Opens 6 well placed blooms. very beautiful variety.	1		225	425	
Sundance (Almey) Ruffled clear medium yellow. Tall growing with 8-10 florets open. A very nice yellow.	1	.25	.20		
Sunlight (Spiller) Large ruffled florets	2	.25	3.—25	625	
of a brilliant orange, shading to a golden center. Tall vigorous grower with 5-6 large blooms open. A very beautiful variety.	10	1.00	.50	.40	100— .30
Sun Spot (Roberts) Light apricot buff	2	.25	325	625	
with a rose spot in the throat. Opens up 8 or 9 ruffled florets on a tall straight spike. A good propagator. Has a very fine show record and should make a fine commercial.	10	1.00	.60	.30	100— .25
Supreme Beauty (Bastian) A deep	2	.25	3—.25	525	100— .25
salmon pink with creamy yellow throat. Opens 7-8 wide open ruffled florets on a long flowerhead.	10	1.00	.70	.40	
Sweetheart (Alkemade) Vivid rose with	2	.25	315	620	
carmine blotch. Exceptionally tall spikes with 8-10 large florets open at a time. A	10	1.00	.40	.25	10030
Swing (Pf.) A large pure white. The	2	.25	3—.25	525	100— .25
5½ inch florets are of good texture and well placed on a tall spike. Early flowering.	10	1.00	.70	.40	
Terrific (Wilson) Deep canary yellow. Will open 12 or more blooms at one time. One spike is a bouquet.	1	1.00	.60	.35	2— .20

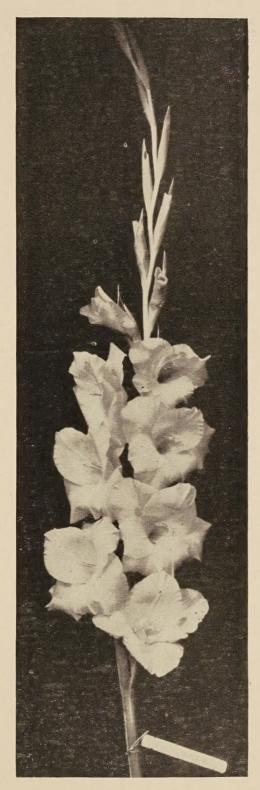
	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Themesong (Klein) A pleasing shade of purple with a cyclamen purple blotch. 7-8 nicely ruffled florets open on a long	2	.25	3—.25		
head. An unusal but attractive color. The Owl (Wheeler) Deep dusty rose with a pansy like face. The throat blotch may resemble an owls eyes. Spectacular	1	.25	225	3 —.25	100— .25
and different. A real oddity. The Roan (Pruitt) Rosy red, covered with fine silvery lines. Very odd and unique.	2	.25		6—.25	
Tivoli (K & M) Soft rose with lighter	2	.25	325	5—.20	
throat. Opens 8-9 wide-open florets on a tall stem. Should be extra fine for cutting Very beautiful.	10	1.00	.60	.30	100— .25
Tobruk (Pf.) Very dark velvety red. Medium sized florets, well attached on a medium tall stem. 5-6 florets open at one time. A real attractive novelty.	2	.25	325	5—.25	
Trails End (Ficht) Deep lavender rose with a large creamy yellow throat. Color quite similar to COUTTS ORCHID but better placement.	1	.25	.20	2—.25	
True Love (Kline) Clear shell pink. Good grower and reliable cutter. Opens 6-8 five-inch florets on a tall stiff stem. Very early and very beautiful.	2 10	.20 .80	4—.25 .50	10—.25 .25	10025
Tunia's Atomic Burst (Both) A vivid bronzy red with a lavender smoky overcast.	1	.15	220	420	
Tunia's Delight (Both) A beautiful clear orange with a blue margin around the edges of the petals.	2 10	.25 1.00	325 .70	5—.25 .40	25— .25
Tunia's Elite (Both) A beautiful smoky in a bronzy orange, edged with smoky orange. Has a fiery red throat blotch.	1	.15	.10	210	30— .25
Tunia's Mahomet (Both) Fine giant	2	.25	425	625	
dark smoky. Color plum with orange scar- let in the throat. Nice long flowerhead with 6-7 open florets. Claimed to be the best smoky from down under.	10	1.00	50	.30	
Tunia's Masterpiece (Both) A lavender from Australia. A good grower with plenty of large florets open on a tall spike. Will fleck some in hot weather.	1	.20	.15	.10	
Uhu (K & M) A new smoky from Hol-	2	.25	.15	420	
land. Said to be the finest smoky yet introduced. The large florets are well placed on a tall stem. About 8 open at one time.	10	1.00	.60	.30	100— .30

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Valeria (Pruitt) Light red or scarlet.	2	.25	.15		100— .25
Very tall husky plant with 6-7 large ruffled florets open on a long flowerhead always well placed. It is in great demand as a cut flower. The bulblets are rather lard to germinate.	10	1.00	.40		
Van Gold (Van Voorhis) Deep golden yellow with no markings. Opens 6-8 five-inch blooms on a straight stiff stem. A very fine early commercial.	10		5—.25 .40	8—.25 .20	100— .30
Voodoo (Kadel) Large ruffled plum	2	.25	3—.25	5—.25	
colored smoky. Opens 6-7 large florets on a tall spike. Strong grower and good propagator. A very interesting novelty and show glad.	10	1.00	.70	.50	10025
Wahoo (Wilson) Large smoky orange with red orange blotch. 6 inch florets, 10 open on a long flower head.	1	.50	.25		
Wampum (Winsor) Deep smoky orange with a red-orange blotch,	1	.25	.20	225	
War Paint (Kadel) Dark scarlet with	2	.25	3—.25	5—.25	10025
a darker throat. 8-10 florets open on a long flower head. It has a straight strong stem.	10	1.00	.70	.40	
Wedgewood (Fischer) A rich live blue	2	.25	425	625	10025
lavender shading to cream in the throat. 5 heavily ruffled florets open on a tall slender stem. A very beautiful variety.	10		.60	.30	
W. H. Hosmer (Hatch) Rose tinged with lavender with a large cream lip. Opens 8-10 blooms on a medium height spike.	1	.25	.20	2—.25	100— .35
White Challenge (Arnett) Florets are white tinged a blush pink and have a small rose blotch in the throat. Heavy texture. Opens 7-8 florets on a tall well built spike. A beautiful variety and fine show and commercial variety.	1	.20			
White Christmas (Fischer) Ruffled white with a slight shade of cream in the throat. The 7-8 florets are well attached on a tall spike. A very beautiful variety.	2	.25	3—.25	425	
White Goddess (Roberts) Tall, strong	2 10	.25	3—.25 .70	5—.25 .40	10040
growing white with cream throat. Heavily ruffled, extra good. White Wave (Fischer) A lightly ruf-	10	.25	.70	.10	
fled white. 5-6 open florets on a tall plant. Very attractive.					
White Wings (Errey) A tall growing pure white having large flowers. Said to be faultless in purity, texture and form. Blooms are well arranged on a tall slender stem.	2 10	.25 1.00	4—.25 .50	6—.25	100— .25

	Per	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Per
Willowmeede (Burns) Color suffused pink with a cream blotch.	1	.25	.20		10025
Willy Derby (Holland) Large spikes	2	.25	325	5—.25	
of well shaped yellow flowers. W. R. Reader (Turnbull) Deep salmon		.25	.20		10025
with light cream center, 6-8 very large blooms on a straight spike. A famous Canadian variety that is well liked by florists.	10		.60	.25	
Yellow Herald (Pf.) Color amber yel-	2	.25	320	525	10030
low carmine in throat. The large wide open flowers are nicely faced and spaced on a strong upright stem. Good healthy grower. A fine early commercial.	10	1.00	.50	.25	

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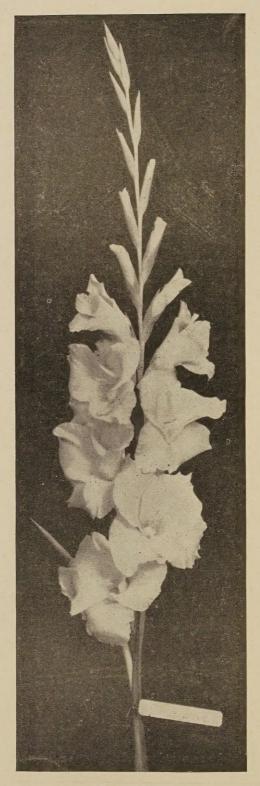
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	Large	Medium	Small	Bulblets Quart
Lavender & Gold		********	1.20	
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